UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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Plaintiff,

Adv. Pro. No. 08-01789 (CGM)

v.

BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT

SECURITIES LLC,

Defendant.

In re:

BERNARD L. MADOFF,

Debtor.

IRVING H. PICARD, Trustee for the Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC,

Plaintiff,

v.

FIRST GULF BANK,

Defendant.

SIPA LIQUIDATION (Substantively Consolidated)

SPECIAL MASTER'S ORDER NO. 2

Adv. Pro. No. 11-2541 (CGM)

Respondent First Gulf Bank has submitted opposition papers which seek, among other relief, the potential postponement of the previously-scheduled January 5 conference. The Trustee opposes this request. Given the lengthy delays in this case, I agree with the Trustee that a conference is necessary.

Accordingly, the Discovery Arbitrator will hold a conference to address the Trustee's motion on January 5, 2024, at 2 p.m., at the JAMS offices, 620 Eighth Avenue, 34th Floor, New York, New York 10018.

SO ORDERED.

New York, New York Dated:

December 18, 2023

Hon. Frank Maas (Ret.)
Discovery Arbitrator